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"They say" is the cruelest tyrant the world ever saw. It has caused more heart aches, brought from bright eyes more tears, driven sleep from more soft pillows, and driven more barbed spikes into pure and gentle souls than has any monster the world ever knew.

Next year will be leap year, and an exchange says, the girls will do well to make most of the opportunity, for it will be eight years before another comes. The year 1900 will not be a leap year. There is 685 days and six hours, less eleven minutes amount to one day in one hundred years, when leap year is dispensed with. The year 1900 will therefore not be a leap year.

We publish the following school statistics of this country for 1893, as taken from the report of the United States School Commissioners: Number of school houses was 236,426, valued at \$398,435,039, and conducted at an annual cost of \$165,000,000. The male teachers number 122,056 and the female teachers 290,954. The public schools alone were attended by 13,510,718 pupils. The whole number of pupils enrolled in schools and colleges was 15,833,630 or 22.5 per cent. of the total population.

The press has made presidents, killed poets, furnished bustles for beauties and punished genius with criticism. It has curtailed the power of kings, converted bankers to paupers and graced pantry shelves. It has made paupers out of college presidents; it has educated the homeless and robbed the philosopher of his reason; it smiles and cries and dies but it can't be run to suit everybody and the man will go crazy who tries.—Ex. There is no joke about this. It is an undeniable fact that all people do not believe alike nor see things alike, but they will agree to disagree on many things, and some of them will get "huffy" if things don't go just to suit them.

Some men take it as an insult if a bill be sent to them. No matter how long the account may have run, or how long it may have taken to aggregate an account of a few dollars, the moment the merchant sends a bill, the ire of the person owing the same explodes. How silly this is. Why if business men did not send out statements, and even in many cases demand prompt settlements, the business of this world would soon go to the bow wows. The way to avoid getting a bill is to pay what you owe in a reasonable time. Custom has made a reasonable time thirty days. If you can't pay all, pay what you can. If you do this you will not receive any bills.—Ex.

Gossip! How she runs about on every street in every store, in all the churches and societies she finds a foothold. Gossip has made many a home a hell upon earth. Gossip has parted husband and wife, Gossip has blackened and sullied the character of many pure girls. Gossip has parted lovers who would be very happy if it were not for gossip. One little misstep or one little indiscretion will cause gossip to arise with new strength and start out on her mission. Her, did we say? We ought not to, for we have our male gossipers, and, as a rule, they are ten times more venomous than the female. A healthy man gossiper is about as mean and low and dangerous as the meanest thing on earth.—Ex.

It is announced that ex-President Benjamin Harrison is engaged in writing a series of magazine articles for *The Ladies Home Journal*, in which periodical they will begin in the December number. The series will be called "This Country of Ours," and will consist of ten articles and probably more. The papers are being written by General Harrison especially for women, to meet the growing, widespread desire on their part to intelligently understand the workings of our Government and the great National questions. It will be the aim of the articles to explain in the clear and concise style for which the ex-President is famous, just what the United States Government means; the origin and meaning of the Constitution; how laws are enacted and enforced; what the powers of the president and other officials are; what the judiciary system means; how our foreign relations are brought about and their meaning; how Congress and Senate legislate.—In fact, a complete explanation of the Government told in a popular way. General Harrison writes the articles from the standpoint of a citizen who understands his subject. They have no bearing on politics whatever. While directly intended for women, the articles will naturally have a much broader scope and likewise interest men, and especially young men.

## One Dollar A Year.

From this time forth THE STAR has decided to adopt a new regulation governing the financial part of its business. And that is to make the subscription price one dollar a year to all who will pay in advance. Those who want THE STAR for that price can get it by settling all arrearages and paying an extra dollar in advance. New subscribers will also receive the advance yearly dollar rate. The price will remain the same as heretofore, \$1.50 a year, but a discount of 50 cents will be given those who pay in advance. THE STAR would like all its old subscribers to avail themselves of this offer and as many new ones as possible. Remember we will stick strictly to the \$1.50 a year price when the subscription is not paid in advance. This special offer holds good until the 1st of January, 1896.

### Notice.

Gentlemen, please call and look over the fine line of suitings we are offering made to order for \$18.00, \$19.00 and \$20.00. They are great bargains and you can depend on a good, first-class fit.

BELL,

The Merchant Tailor.

One of the finest tea sets ever brought to town—bought at a special price and will be sold at a bargain. Come and see it and get price. Only one.

C. F. HOFFMAN.

Bing & Co. have just received the finest line of dress goods ever brought to Reynoldsville.

We are in the swim in shoes, keeping up style and quality and prices down.

ROBINSON'S.

### A Fatal Accident.

A fall of sand rock in the Berwin-White shaft at 9:15 Friday night so seriously injured Peter Cunningham that he died in a little over an hour. He was operating one of the mining machines when the accident happened. His back was broken and his body was crushed from the breast down. He was removed to his home and Drs. Guthrie, McKee, Brockbank and Sullivan were called but he was beyond medical aid. He retained consciousness to the last and during the brief time he was in the house kissed his wife and children and bade them a sad farewell.—DuBois Express.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says, "Shilo's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, liver, or kidney trouble it excels. Price 75cts. Sold by J. C. King & Co.

Parents don't forget to send your children to have their eyes examined to see if they need glasses or not. Eyes examined free. C. F. Hoffman, optician.

The Reynolds Hardware Co. is offering to sell haps and blankets at cost to close out their stock.

A large stock of baled hay and straw at W. T. Cox's.

Forty lbs finest Rolled oats for \$1.00 at Robinson & Mundorf's little grocery on the corner.

Three bars laundry soap 5 cts., 15 bars soap 25 cts., 60 bars soap \$1.00 at Wm. Burge's.

What? Correct style of coats and capes at Bing & Co's. You bet!

If you want fine York State salt for 95c. a barrel go to W. T. Cox's grocery.

Following is a report of the Philippi school for the month ending Oct. 25th: Whole number in attendance during month, 27; average attendance, 21; per cent. of attendance, 95. The following are the names of those who attended every day during the month: Guy Cornmesser, Walter Dougherty, Ivan Dougherty, Jamie Norris, Tille Norris, Inez Strouse, Maud Shoesley, Alma Dougherty, Laura Syphrit, Ruth Cathers, Ella Syphrit, Susie Dougherty, Grace Yohe. Progress and conduct very good.

IRIS JOHNSTON, Teacher.

Ladies if you have any uncomfortable feeling about your eyes or pain in the head, come and have your eyes examined and see if you should have glasses. Eyes examined free.

C. F. HOFFMAN, the Optician.

Coffee 15 cents a package at Wm. Burge's.

If you want anything in the jewelry line I will get it for you in a short time and save you big money.

C. F. HOFFMAN.

Big reduction in price of salt. If you want a barrel see Robinson & Mundorf.

Swartz Bros. sell good salt at 95 cents a barrel.

Ladies if you want a pretty dress go to Bing & Co's.

If you want to buy guns or ammunition go to Riston's.

Wanted—To buy 20 to 100 acres of land near town. J. C. KING & Co.

House and lot for sale in West Reynoldsville seven rooms. Inquire of F. K. Mullen or C. Mitchell.

Best fine \$2.00 shoes, for ladies, in the world at Robinson's.

I have in stock a few staple goods, such as Rodger knives and forks, spoons, &c., which I will sell at about manufacturer prices. C. F. HOFFMAN.

Leading Clothiers!

# MILLIRENS!

Lowest Prices!

## PERFECT FITTING CLOTHING!

Our Fall Stock of Men's, Children's and Youths' Clothing is now in and placed. It's a Royal and Handsome showing of finely tailored and perfect fitting garments. Our Stock is the Wonder of Clothing Annals. It exceeds in quantity and excels in style and quality. Your best friend, seeing you in one of our suits, would not know but that it had been made for you. One of the chief characteristics of our garments this season is the absolute perfection attained in the fit. If you will examine and get prices you will be convinced as well as us that we are giving the best values in the county.

### New Fall Style

Of Men's Suits!



Looking at the extent and variety of our stock it seems impossible that we should fail to please you in a suit. We have new designs in colored Cheviots, choice stripes and plaids in fancy Worsteds, new mixtures in fall Cassimeres, new styles of plain and ribbed fabrics; well made, well trimmed, and a perfect fit guaranteed.

We have double or single breasted, cutaways or cutaway sack, in all the fashionable weaves and all the prevailing colors, mixtures and patterns at \$3.98, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00 and \$10.

### WINTER

#### Overshirts - and - Underwear!

Good camel's hair shirts or drawers for 25c.; last season sold for 50c.

The celebrated fleece lined Underwear that sold for \$1.00 last season, now at our store for 50c.

Good Pure Wool underwear, all colors, Cream, Tan, Brown and Dark Pearl, \$1. They will ask you 1.50 elsewhere. Good overshirts from 50c. to \$1. They take the lead. Call and see them.

### FALL HATS AND WINTER CAPS.

We carry the largest stock of Hats and Caps in the county. All of the latest shapes and styles.

Arguments are needless to any good judge when we show our Fedoras and Derbys at our modern low prices. Derbys and Fedoras from \$1.00 to \$3.00. See our \$1.50 Derby. Caps from 15c. upward.

### Fall and Winter Overcoats.

Chilly nights and mornings make you think of Fall and Winter Overcoats.

We are ready with a complete line in the newest fabrics and styles. Men's Shetland and Irish Freeze Double or Single Breasted Storm Overcoats \$5, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00.

Boys' Long Cut, Double Breasted Overcoats with deep cape from \$1.50 to \$5.

Call and see the largest, best and cheapest stock of Overcoats ever exhibited in Reynoldsville.



### BOYS' Heavy \* Winter \* Suits!



Boys' All Wool Double Breasted Cheviot, Cassimeres and Imported Worsteds, neat and serviceable, made up in the height of fashion at the following prices: \$1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00; ages from 4 to 14 years.

Everything that is new in style and color is represented in our superb showing of Children's Clothing.

### FALL - AND - WINTER Trousers!

Nobby dressers will appreciate our fine exhibit of Pantaloon. Everything that's new and stylish in fabric, and every pair is guaranteed to fit; 65c., 75c., \$1, 1.50, \$2, 2.50, \$3, 3.50. At these prices we show a line of about 1,500 pairs of men's elegant and stylish pantaloons. They are as fine trousers as can be found anywhere at any price. The materials are of the finest Imported Cheviots, Worsteds and Cassimeres. The patterns are light and dark stripes, wide or narrow mixtures and solid colors.

## SEE - OUR

Gloves AND Neckties AND Umbrellas  
Mackinaw Coats, AND Collars, AND Trunks.

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Reynolds Block.

Reynoldsville, Pa.